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Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate Concurring, That for the purpose of facilitating the adjustment of the conflicting claims upon the State, arising under the several railroad grants of land, the swamp land grants, and the actual settlers of the state holding homesteads and pre-empting claims upon such land. The Governor and [the] Register of the State Land Office are hereby authorized and required to procure as soon as practicable from the commissioners of the general land office at Washington, and also when they shall deem it necessary from the several local land offices certified lists of the lands on which there are conflicting claims under such several grants, and lists of all cancelled pre-emption entries and homestead claims or settlements, and cause the same to be filed and recorded in the office of the Register of the State Land Office, and that the necessary expenses thereof be paid out of the general contingent fund of the State.

Approved January 25, 1873.